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THE REAL WILD WEST

Three Score Champion Cowboys And Cowgirls From The Far Western Plains.

One of the genuine novelties offered by the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus this season is its genuine and historically correct Wild west and Chynne Frontier Exhibition, participated in by sixty cowboys and cowgirls from the Far West. When the parents of the present generation were boys and girls there lived on the Western plains a great body of hardy heroes who acted as guardians over herds of cattle that roamed over the trackless plains. The cowboys are fast disappearing before the wake of the settling and cultivation of the Western plains.

When the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus exhibits in Princeton on Saturday Oct. 13th, a real Wild West Show will be staged among the numbers. Assembled for this exhibition are the champion ropers, broncho busters, cowboys and cowgirls from Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Texas, Oklahoma and the far Western Canada. They represent the experts among the different lines exploited by the cowboy in his work and past time. The "pony Express," illustrating how the U. S. mail was delivered in the West before the advent of the railroad, will be one of the interesting exhibitions. In this the rider dismounts from his horse while the animal is running at full speed, runs and mounts a fresher horse. The animal is trained to dash away at full speed without any delay to the rider and the mail. Trick riding follows, introducing Chester Byers, acknowledged by all Western frontier exhibitions to be the greatest cowboy of this generation. Mr. Byers holds medals from the Pendleton (Ore.) Round Up, the Cheyenne (Wyo.) Frontier Exhibition, the Calgary (Alberta) Wild West Exhibition and the Walla Walla (Wash.) Plainsmen's Exhibition. At every performance Mr. Byers rides a silver mounted and diamond studded \$10,000 saddle, a prize won last year at the Pendleton Round-Up. While fresh bucking horses are continually used in the Wild West exhibitions, yet all owners of bad and outlaw horses are invited to bring them to town circus day that they be ridden by the Hagenbeck-Wallace champion cowboys and cowgirls. The wilder the horses are, the better they are liked by the Wild West performers.

The Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Show travel this season aboard three special trains, the longest ever used to transport a circus organization. There are in the neighborhood of 1,000 people traveling about with the show, in addition to 108 advance men. Six hundred draft horses, 125 head of fleet footed ring stock, 400 trained wild animals and three herds of elephants are a part of the great organization. Twenty-two tents, which cover fourteen acres of ground, are used to house the show in the daytime.

The doors of the Carl Hagenbeck zoological paradise are opened daily at 1 and 7 p. m. An operatic concert by Prof. Fred Jewell's band of 45 soloists lasts thirty minutes and precedes the

performances, which begins at 2 and 8 p. m. A three mile long gala, golden street parade will be seen at 10 a. m. on the day of the exhibition.

The War Committee Of Crittenden County.

C. C. Camden and Wilson P. Watkins of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Kentucky were here this week and named the Crittenden County War Council Committee of the Y. M. C. A. which is composed of the following named citizens: Thos. H. Cochran, chairman, Mesdames W. B. Yandell and W. J. Deboe, Miss Nell Walker, Dr. R. L. Moore, Walter McConnell, Mayor J. Frank Dodge, Marshall Jenkins, F. G. Cox, W. D. Cannon and Chastain W. Haynes.

Loses Several Of His Fingers.

Ray Walker, 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker had the misfortune to lose several joints of the fingers on one of his hands Monday by the explosion of a dynamite cap with which he was playing and which it is not known where or how he obtained it. He is getting along alright and if no complication arises will recover.

DEATHS

Darius B. Carnahan an old and respected citizen of Blackford died Thursday Sept. 27th, of a complication of diseases with which he had suffered for several years. His remains were laid to rest at the Blackford Cemetery after the funeral was preached at the Baptist Church of which he had been a member for fifty years. Revs. Vaughn and Sisk officiating. His wife who was Miss Alice Wallace survives him also 8 children. The sons are Jno. A., Geo. W., Will C., and Sam L., all well known citizens. The daughters are Annie Belle wife of Will Deboe, Kate wife of Henry McConnell, Bertha wife of Dexter Crompton, Gertrude wife of Jas. Bruner, three brothers all of whom live in the west survive also, J. M. of Kansas, Montie of Canada, and Frances of California, and two 1-2 brothers George of Shawneerown and Ben of Mo., one sister Mrs. Annie Carico, three 1-2 sisters Maggie Sipes of Oklahoma, Lucy Eddings of Clay, and Julia Bean of DeKoven.

Mr. Carnahan was born April 19th, 1845, near Madisonville and has lived in Hopkins and Webster Counties all his life.

Captain Newcom.

Frank Newcom was named as leader of the squad of 51 soldiers who left Wednesday for Camp Zachary Taylor. Their names appeared in last week's issue. The only exceptions being the colored soldiers who are not yet designated as to time of departure.

Eze Hard, a Marion boy, enlisted with the Electrical Corps of the U. S. army Monday at Paducah and has gone to Camp Zachary Taylor.

Ira C. Sutherland has been sinking for several days and has had several severe hemorrhages.

Frank Taylor, and wife and little son of Frank Payk, of Salem were guests of relatives here Tuesday.

AMENDMENT IS INDORSED

Frankfort State Journal Prints Strong Editorial Favoring Adoption Of Constitutional Amendment And Pointing Out Its Advantages

The strong resolutions adopted by the Frankfort Chamber of Commerce favoring the Constitutional Amendment relating to the purchase of telephone lines are meeting with favor throughout the state. Among other papers which have endorsed this action editorially is the Frankfort State Journal, which recently published the following editorial:

"Amend The Constitution
The action of the Chamber of Commerce, in pledging its efforts to the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment relating to the purchase of telephone lines, and in calling upon other commercial bodies to support it, is both wise and timely.

"Two telephone lines in the same community, each contending for subscribers, is a nuisance—an expensive nuisance—to the public, and has been too long tolerated. When the busy merchant, farmer or professional man takes up his telephone, he wants to talk and talk quickly; and to be told that the party sought has 'the other line' naturally stirs his resentment. Two exchanges in the same town mean that the business and professional man must maintain both, and this he should not be required to do.

"Telephone service should be universal among telephone users; every telephone user should be able to reach every other telephone user, over his own phone.

The present Constitution of Kentucky was written when the telephone business was in its early infancy, and in it was written that one telephone company could not acquire by lease or purchase, the lines of a competing company, with the result that in every municipality where there have existed two telephone systems, however much a Chamber of Commerce or a City Council wished to have only one, they could get rid of neither without wrecking one. Both lines were doomed to continuous existence, in spite of the fact that generally neither was prosperous, or giving to the public satisfactory service. State authorities and local councils have complete power of regulation of telephone companies.

"The General Assembly adopted the pending amendment to the Constitution, permitting one telephone company to purchase the lines of another, provided the City Council and the State authorities should approve the purchase; without that approval no purchase can be made. This amendment was passed by the House of Representatives without a dissenting vote, and by the Senate with only one negative vote. Such a vote is an indication of the widespread interest in the amendment and the demand for the relief it will bring. The public interest is fully protected.

"We cannot too highly commend the Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to secure the adoption of this amendment by the voters. The State Journal is for the amendment, and will add its efforts to those of the Chamber of Commerce to bring about the adoption.

Methodist Conference.

The Conference of the M. E. church, South, which met at Hopkinsville last week named the following ministers for this session: Rev. H. R. Short, Marion; E. F. Goodson, Presiding Elder; V. L. Stone, Carversville; V. P. Henry, Clay; J. H. Mitchell, Hampton; R. T. McConnell, Hanson; J. R. Renfro, Marion circuit; C. R. Crow, Slaughter'sville; J. F. Baker, Sturgis; F. W. Deaton, Tola.

Tola Branch Of Red Cross.

A branch of the Red Cross society will be organized at Tola, Ky., Friday evening Oct. 5th, at 7 o'clock at the Methodist Church.

Dr. T. A. Frazer, Misses Fannie Bula and Lenora Wilborn will attend also the Male Quartette composed of T. R. and C. W. Yates, L. E. and Nell Guess. Everybody invited and expected.

T. J. Yandell is attending the Bankers' convention at Louisville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Orme attended McElroy-Dean wedding at Crider Tuesday afternoon.

H. F. Hammack has had his horse treated to a coat of canary with white trimmings, and it looks quite refreshed.

MARRIAGES

A double wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onie Duncan near Boz school house on Wednesday evening at 2 o'clock, when Mr. Hartland Greenlee and Miss Nettie Duncan and Bedford Blaker and Miss Maymie Duncan were united in marriage. Rev. Ben Martin officiating. We wish them a long prosperous and happy journey through life and at death a home in Heaven.

Miss Helen Sayre will be married to Mr. Will Simpson of Gainesville, Texas, on Oct. 24th, at the home of her parents in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

The Sayre family lived here several years, and Miss Helen is pleasantly remembered as an exceedingly bright and hard-working girl, of fascinating manner. She was an expert swimmer and enjoyed horse back riding, and other athletic sports as a child.

Her education was completed in New York and Washington since which time she has travelled extensively. Her many friends and admirers here hope for her, much joy in her wedded life.

The marriage of Miss Annie Louise Dean and Mr. Lee Dennis McElroy, of Crider, was beautifully solemnized by the Rev. Price of Fredonia, at Hazeldean the lovely home of the bride's parents on Oct. 2nd, at 3 p. m.

The house was artistically decorated in ferns, autumn flowers and chrysanthemums, the color scheme being yellow and green.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Melville Akin of Princeton sang a beautiful solo and Mr. Adamson rendered a violin solo.

At the sound of the wedding march which was played by Miss Nell Guess of Crider, Miss Virginia Blue and Miss Linda Jenkins of Marion the bridesmaids who were dressed in white with gold meline hats and sashes with a bouquet of chrysanthemums tied with gold tulle led the procession to the altar and unwound white ribbon which formed the aisle for the bride to enter.

The groom and best man, Mr. Gage Adamson were met by master Emery Dobbins, of Indianapolis, who carried the ring on a silver tray, then followed the bride with her father, who gave her away.

The brides dress was of chiffon taffeta and georgette crepe entwine with chantilly lace. Her veil was artistically held in place by orange blossoms.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was given by Mrs. Dean mother of the bride to the bridal party and the close friends and relatives who were present at the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. McElroy left for Chicago and other points on a bridal trip.

Guests were present from Princeton, Fredonia, Marion and many other localities, probably one hundred persons attending the ceremony. The bride was the recipient of many substantial useful and beautiful gifts.

Come And Prove Ownership.

Found, a pair of gold plated frame spectacles on the street. Owner can have property by paying for this advertisement.

THE CALF CLUB.

Marion, Ky., Oct. 3, 1917
Crittenden County Calf Club,
Dear Members.

I want you to send me a sample of your Heifer's milk taken in the following way. After milking, pour the milk backward and forward by using two buckets so as to thoroughly mix it, then take a small bottle thoroughly cleaned and put in three tablespoonfuls as soon as mixed. Do this morning and evening and put sample in the same bottle. This will give a true sample of your cow's milk. Send the sample to me at once with your name and the number of your heifer, if you remember it, pasted on the bottle. Mail to me or leave at Haynes & Taylor's. Must have each cow's milk tested and have it here on Oct. 8, the day of the sale.

The show will begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Each member is requested to bring one pound print of butter and one gallon of milk from his cow. We have \$15.00 worth of prizes on milk and butter, each divided up into 5 prizes. Then the milk and butter after being judged will be used in Dairy lunch, the proceeds of which will go to the Red Cross. In this way each club member will be doing his bit to help the wounded and sick at the battle front.

Brush your heifer twice a day this week and put on her best clothes. Polish her horns by scraping with a piece of glass and then rubbing with a woolen cloth moistened with oil. Be on hand with your heifer early Monday morning with a halter and rope on your heifer so that you can tie her to the Court House fence. Over \$200.00 in cash prizes are offered by the Commercial Club of Marion, for the best Heifer for dairy purposes, best heifer calf, best pound of butter, best gallon of milk, best kept record.

Yours very truly,
J. Robert Bird,
County Agent.

SEVEN SPRINGS

Misses Iva and Ina Campbell were in Salem Thursday.

Dr. Matlock, of Salem, was called to this section Friday to see Miss Julia Patton, who is quite ill with malarial fever and indigestion.

Mrs. Fannie Travis, of Emmaus, spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Pollie Patton at this place.

M. L. Patton is just recovering from a very severe attack of acute indigestion.

Tobacco most all in the house in this vicinity.

Floyd Simpkins and family, Phil Travis, Bob Stubblefield, wife and daughter, Miss Daisy, and Mrs. May Perkins, of Frances, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton last week.

Edgar McKinney and family, of Lyon county, were guests of William Henry Campbell Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Kinsolving, of Emmaus, is here this week attending the bedside of her sister, Miss Julia Patton, who is very ill.

John Patton and wife, B. A. Patton and children, of Mexico, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Andrew Holoman and family, of Truman, Ark., are now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holoman, and will probably remain there the coming winter.

Tom Brown, one of our good citizens of Seven Springs, has purchased the Sanders farm and will move soon near Gum Spring. We regret to give Mr. and Mrs. Brown up, but we wish them success in their location.

Levi Cook is gradually absorbing all the available property around town. His latest acquisition is the laundry lot on south Main street, old mill site, which he purchased from Cochran & Co.

VOTE FOR ROAD TAX

Out Lines The Plan For Assessment Levy Without Bond.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3.—State Road Commissioner Rodman Wiley, in a statement issued to day discusses at length the procedure for levy of road tax with out bond issues or other obligations of indebtedness. He says:

In many counties the people are willing to vote a good roads tax, but they do not want to create a bonded debt or any debt and to permit the people in any county to vote a road tax with out debt or bonds there was passed at the special session of 1917 an act that allows any county to vote an annual tax in any sum not exceeding 20 cents on the one hundred dollars to be used in building new roads and repairing old ones. Already several counties have voted this tax and will collect it this year.

The tax can be voted at either a special election or the regular November election. Counties that want this tax can vote it by a majority vote at the next November election and have the benefit of it on the roads next year, as the Fiscal Court can borrow next spring 80 per cent of the amount the tax will raise and begin work on the roads early in the year, paying the borrowed money out of the tax collected in that year when collected, and under this act no debt can be created in any year that can not be paid out of the tax collected in that year. The books must be balanced at the end of each year and there is no debt to be carried over. The money raised by this tax need not be used on inter-county-seat roads or State roads. It can be put on any road or bridge that the Fiscal Court wants to build or repair.

The tax voted may be 5, 10, 15 or 20 cents on the one hundred dollars and it may be voted for one year or any number of years not exceeding ten. All counties that want good roads without bonds or debt and that cannot raise enough money under the present 50 cents tax to keep the roads in repair should vote this tax. Get a copy of this new law from your county clerk or write to me and I will send you a copy. Vote the 20 cents tax at the November election and begin your road work next spring.

GLADSTONE

Rossie Brantley has purchased a new Ford car.

Lawrence Scott is very ill. We think he is bordering on typhoid fever.

Miss Dean Scott has become a student of the Marion high school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scott and son returned to their home in Linton, Ind., after spending a few days here with his parents.

Ewell McKinney, Sr., and Ewell McKinney, Jr., are on the sick list at present.

Ralph Phillips attended meeting at Cave Spring Saturday night, and on his way home he lost his cap. If any one finds it, please return it to him.

D. Crowell and family attended meeting at Cave Springs Sunday.

Clyde McCormick, of Morganfield, is the guest of Charles McCormick.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. H. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 20c